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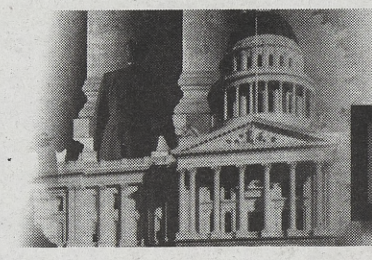

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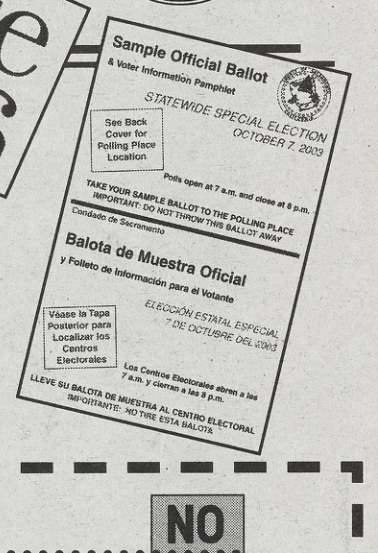
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GLBT Caucus Says

"No On Recall, Yes On Bustamante"

By MGW Staff

Following a discussion of GLBT issues with California Lieutenant Governor Cruz Bustamante, the Caucus announced its unanimous endorsement of Bustamante.

Last month the Caucus took a formal position against the recall at a Capital news conference in which each member praised Governor Davis' historic support of equal rights for LGBT Californians.

"In the history of California, no Governor has done more for GLBT Californians than Gray Davis. We fully oppose the recall," said Assembly Speaker pro Tempore Christine Kehoe, chair of the Legislative LGBT Caucus.

"However, the voters also have a second question on the ballot. On that second question the LGBT Caucus endorses Cruz Bustamante. Bustamante has been a strong supporter of LGBT issues. As Lieutenant Governor, Bustamante has been an outspoken supporter of the LGBT community and has been unwavering in his support of LGBT equality."

The California Legislative LGBT Caucus was originally formed in June 2002. The members include Assembly Speaker pro Tempore Kehoe, the Caucus Chair, Senator Sheila James Kuehl, and Assemblymembers Jackie Goldberg, John Laird, and Mark Leno. The Caucus' role is to present a forum for the California Legislature to discuss issues that affect lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender Californians and to further the goal of equality and justice for all Californians.

The LGBT Caucus' formation made California the first state in the country to recognize an official caucus of openly-LGBT state legislators.▼

AB 205: May Bring More Than Partnership Recognition

By Robert Hamm
MGW Guest Commentary

Robert Hamm is the founder of Aids Benefits Plant Sales

The Domestic Partners legislation AB 205, which is before the California Legislature has been years in the making and has taken years of fighting to get it as far as it has come. I understand the urge of many of my fellow gays and lesbians to get this legislation passed and our relationships legalized. However I doubt that many of us realize that this legislation may also have a very serious down side for many gay couples, especially HIV/AIDS patients and others with disabling illnesses.

For the many gay couples were one or both partners receive medical care through state the state of California Medi-Cal program, two provisions in the proposed law could wreck havoc. These are the facts that with all the Benefits the law grants, it also grants *responsibilities*.

It makes each partner responsible for the others care and financial support (just like husband and wife) and also makes all property either owns community property under state law (again just like married couples).

I whole hearted support this, since we deserve the responsibilities along with the benefits if we really want to be treated equally with married couples.

However this has some major drawbacks for some of us in the community that I only recently, when talking with friends about the details of the pending legislation, stopped to think about.

Up until now the law has refused to acknowledge us as couples, so we had to be treated as individuals when having to qualify for state aid such as MediCal, state financial aid programs, the state share of SSI payments etc. This meant that your partners' income and assets could not be considered because you legally could not be considered a couple sharing income and property.

However under the proposed new law this will change since registered partners *will* be responsible for each others support and their property will be legally community property under state law.

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In June, the Lambda Center hosted a free seminar, where local attorneys and a representative from the Secretary of State's Office discussed benefits and duties of Domestic Partners; how to register & how to terminate Domestic Partnership.

This opens the door to the possibility that the state will start denying or even revoking a lot of people's benefits based on the fact that one partner makes too much or together they own property over the legal limit for benefits. This often happens with married couples but has never been something gay couples needed to worry about because we couldn't be recognized as couples.

However with the new law looking like it will pass and the governor already saying he'll sign it – the gay community will have to face issues such as this one. Some will say the state won't do that, but we have fought to win the right to be treated like married couples and it is a certainty that should the bill become law some conservative will push for us to be considered in this matter the same as any married couple (probably sighting fairness and equality under the law) since we will have been legally placed on the same level. Especially with everyone trying to find things to cut in the state budget, the likelihood that this will occur approaches certainty in my opinion.

Another matter that this will drastically affect for gay couples is the fact that up until now, unless they took out credit in joint name, each individual's bills were their own and the other could not be held liable for them. This meant that should one partner leave (either death or a break up), their bills went with them.

Under the new community property provisions of the proposed law this will no longer be true.

You can be held responsible for the others debts that were incurred while you where registered partners. Also getting out of the relationship will be much hardier and ex-partners can sue for alimony just like a divorcing married couple.

Personally I would have to agree with these changes, after all we can hardly fight to be treated equally and then demand that only those rules that help us be applied. However each of us will need to think long and hard before registering if the new law succeeds. We will have to take our need for medical and other benefits and possible financial costs into consideration and weight them against our want/need to be a legally recognized couple.

We will still have a choice in the matter, since only domestic partners registered with the state will have these rights and responsibilities. It is a shame, but like many straight couples, especially the elderly, we will have to weight being a legal couple versus possible losses of income and benefits. This in one reason many older straight couples simply live together rather than getting married, because they would lose financially.

Many of us may find ourselves in the same boat and ironically after fighting years to achieve legal status may not be able to take advantage of the new law even if it does pass. ▼

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We would like to know what you think we did right and what you think could have made your participation more valuable. WE welcome any ideas or suggestions you may have.

How time flies – next year is our 20th annual Freedom Fair! Mark Your Calendar. Scheduled for June 5, 2004, we intend to pull out all the stops and have some exciting plans already in motion. We are considering extending the Fair over Saturday and Sunday.

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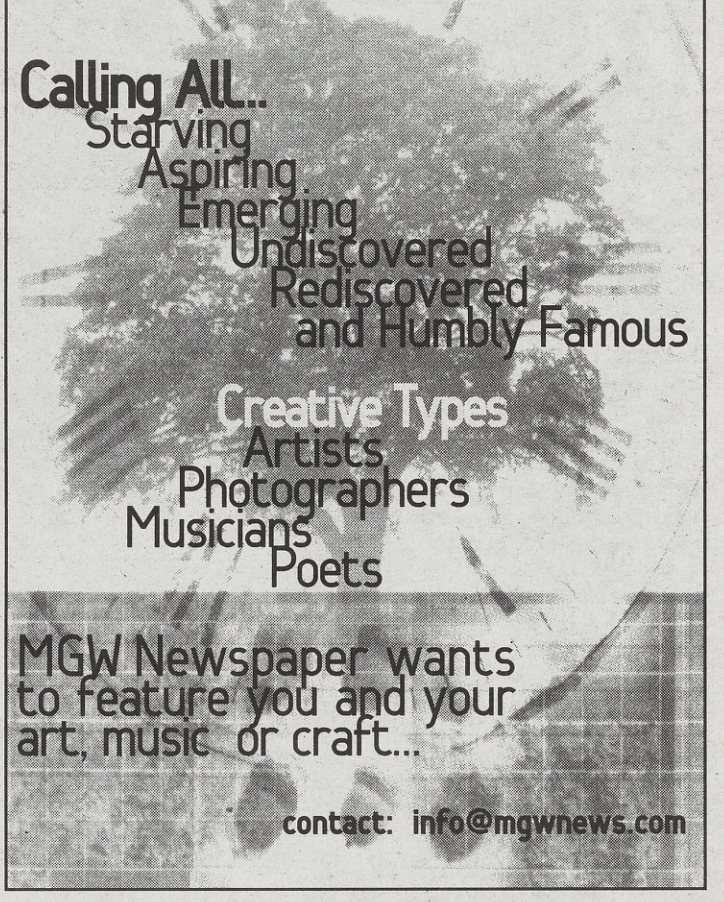

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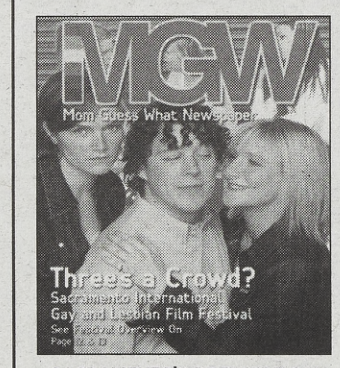

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Editor's Commentary

If You Could See Tomorrow, What Would You Change Today?

By Geoffrey Winder
MGW Managing Editor

In twenty-six years of documenting the news, events, lives, stories and struggles of the GLBT community locally and nationally, MGW Newspaper's archives are full of pivotal historical moments for justice, social equality and civil rights; heartwarming political victories, and devastating defeats crisscross the headlines, of volume and issue numbers long past.

The politicized nature of being GLBT is no different from the decade of **ACT UP's** heyday, although the urgency, trendiness and necessity of political activism may seem to have gone out with the stretch-pants, leg warmers and side ponytails of the '80s.

We now find ourselves again at the threshold of change, where a mere few weeks and a special election is all that could be separating the relatively progressive freedoms the GLBT community enjoys today, and the relegation to second-class closeted citizenry that broke its silence on a street named Stonewall.

The Special Election on October 7th is the first of its kind in this state, and in this country. It is a president setting moment, and one that could change the face and future of the United States political arena forever. There is no doubt, that the ability for a constituency to mobilize, organize and campaign to recall an elected official is crucial element of a democratic republic such as ours.

However, let us not forget that the amount of financial resources, time and clout to mobilize such an action, limits those who can call for a recall to the wealthiest top percentile as in the case of Rep. **Darrel Issa** who used $1.7 million of his own money to finance the recall campaign's initial start-up.

And, granted, perhaps if this were a recall ten years ago, our position on the recall would be different, as the cultural, social and political climate would be different, and it is with this memory, of Republican Right Wing leadership, that we encourage the GLBT and Allied voters to vote

The GLBT community is seen as viable and substantiated political constituency has been a long time coming, and it is imperative that it remains so, for continued progress on social change and civil rights.

No Recall, Yes Bustamante:

There are many reasons in which anyone that is socially conscious and/or cognitively aware of the state of the world would oppose this recall. The "voice of the people" in our country is increasingly based on the sweet song of dollar signs, in which, with enough money, the will of the people can be bought.

The act of recalling Governor Davis is in and of itself a historic event, and, if passed, has unforeseen consequences, the least of which being the ability for a very small majority (and overall minority) to elect the next California Governor based on the simple fact that there are over 100 names on the ballot for this election.

As a newspaper serving the progressive and GLBT community MGW, striving to create community and thusly solidarity through the (dying?) tradition of the printed word, the decision to vote against the recall comes easily.

The progress in California is due in part by the election of several GLBT officials, and in large part to the historic and unwavering support for GLBT issues and legislation by Governor **Gray Davis**.

It is easy, and perhaps even convenient at times to forget the political struggle and changes that have taken place in California to allow for the relative GLBT freedoms and rights afforded now.

It is easy, and perhaps convenient to forget, that California is not the rest of the country, and that the names on the list of those killed by hate crimes is getting longer; and that our life, liberty and pursuit of happiness are reduced to squabbling semantic scribbling of lawmakers, and acknowledgement of our love heavily influenced by religion in this country where the church and state are separated.

Let us draw from the history of political struggles, and know that social and political climates are delicate balances, in which the pendulum always swings, and while perhaps the back swing (and backlash) may not be inevitable, it is postponeable.

Under the previous Republican Governorships of Wilson and Duke, systematically civil and social rights for many "interest groups" were revoked, vetoed and/or prevented.

In a time of relative progress on social issues, MGW joins the majority of GLBT political officials, leaders and organizations in a stance against the right wing attack on Governor Davis in the form of a Recall.

If the Governor is recalled, MGW endorses the candidacy of current Lt. Governor **Cruz Bustamante**. Bustamante's continued record of support for GLBT issues and equality (indeed he appointed Assemblywoman Kehoe the first lesbian legislator to serve as Speaker Pro Tem of the Assembly), as well as general progressive political slate ranging from Immigrant to social welfare to education reform, and his experience in office as an elected official make him a candidate worthy of the support of the GLBT and progressive community.

No on 53

Proposition 53, Funds Dedicated for State and Local Infrastructure is an interesting proposition to say the least, especially coming from the same groups, that in the same breath, state that Davis has failed to provide funding for education, given California one of the largest deficits in the union, and refuses to deal with the energy crisis.

While given perspective, these may very be true to some people, the fact of the matter is, is that if we are to continue to fund education, fund social welfare, rebuild the economy, and repair the deficit, it is highly illogical for the state to require that up to 3 percent of the state's general fund to earmarked for Infrastructure rebuilding.

By locking in billions of dollars into construction needs, it neglects the needs of many other facets of our state.

If indeed, Californians are so concerned about the state of our roads, perhaps we should stop driving our monster-truck, tank-type SUVs around as if this were the war zone for a late night special of Demolition Derby. Who cares if you can drive on a nice, newly paved road, if you don't have a job to go to?

No on 54...

Proposition 54, Classification by Race, Ethnicity, Color or National Origin is another attempt by the right wing to fracture those who do not fit into the "upper-middle class, white, straight" hegemonic Californian.

The left is either very broken, or the right has gotten very organized, or both, but Prop 54, like Prop 22, is designed to push a wedge deep between those, who would be natural allies against their return to a more "traditional" notion of family values, and might one dare to say, notions of superiority?

While Prop 54 would be the ideal proposition needed if we lived in a color blind society of the future, in the current time period we live in, prop 54 is an attempt to force-feed notions of equality down the throats of a society that still suffers from, race-based hate crimes, racial profiling, housing and employment discrimination, educational, health-care and economic disparities based on race/ethnicity/national origin, and no matter how many spoon full of sugar 54 is coated in, it won't help the medicine of anti-racism go down.

Like many other nations suffering from the globalized new millennium, the United States too, is still dealing with the Dubois' "Race Question".

But the greatest mistake that can be made is to push ourselves to believing that we have evolved into a Utopic people that see no color/race before we are ready.

The trauma of racism, the trauma of nationalism, like the trauma of homophobia must be dealt with collectively, and healed collectively.

Prop 54 is not the miracle pill for all the ailments of our post-modern society that the authors of the bill wish us to believe. Indeed, no, it is an attempt by the elite to ensure that they maintain their positions of power, by removing the ability of the state to provide statistical data about the welfare and well being of citizens who, living in a society that is not yet colorblind, are still subject to discrimination, but have no way in which to report it. ▼

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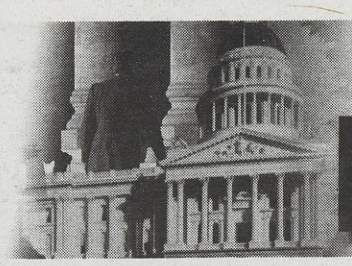

Under The Domes

Jesus! Sweet Home Alabama

By Thom Rutledge
MGW Guest Commentary

Thom Rutledge is a psychotherapist and author of Embracing Fear & Finding the Courage to Live Your Life.

Here's an interesting story: a big ruckus ensues when the order comes down to remove the granite monument inscribed with the Ten Commandments from the Alabama State Courthouse.

The Chief Justice of the Alabama Supreme Court, Justice Roy Moore, steps into the spotlight to protect the monument. He wants to leave it right where it stands. In fact, before a crowd of his enthusiastic Christian supporters, Justice Moore says "To do my duty, I must obey God!" That was a real crowd pleaser.

Apparently if you read between the lines, the commandments say, "Thou shalt not remove that monument from the Alabama State Courthouse."

What is it with Justice Moore and the Christians who gathered in Montgomery this past week to protect a big block of granite inscribed with the Ten Commandments? Buddhism warns us to not mistake the finger pointing to the moon for the moon itself.

And Christians warn us to avoid idolatry, which I think is pretty much the same thing: mistaking a symbol for what it symbolizes. It seems to me that these people are gathering in Montgomery so that they can collectively miss the point. Party for Jesus in Alabama!

I have nothing against protest.

I'm quite fond of it as a matter of fact. So I am not questioning their right to speak out, individually and as a group. After all, by writing this article I am doing the very same thing.

I am just haunted by the nagging, recurring thought that I —- a non-Christian —- may be a better Christian than many Christians. I certainly believe in the teachings of Jesus and although I am far from a theologian, I have done considerable reading about the man, and about how the New Testament of the Christian Bible came to be. All of this leaves me thinking about hypocrisy.

There will be plenty of exceptions to the generalization I am about to make, but I fear that it is likely to be true about many, if not most, of the people who gathered in Montgomery to protect the granite slab. Here it is: I think they are mistaking the symbol for what it symbolizes, mistaking the pointing finger for the moon itself.

It became popular some years ago to ask the question "What would Jesus do?" I know some people who still have their WWJD bracelets. I think it is a good question, and I like to use it in situations like these —- or even more dire circumstances.

For instance, I wrote an article ("Christians Who Want to Rumble") just before the United States blew the hell out of Iraq trying to imagine a Jesus sitting with President Bush in the Oval Office, supporting the argument for a war that would mean the deaths of thousands of innocent lives. Never could get my head around that one. I kept thinking that a bumper sticker that read "Christians for War" might be a big seller.

In the case of the big granite rock in Alabama, I have a tough time imagining that Jesus would spend much time or energy on the issue at all. I think he would be off ministering to the sick, feeding the hungry, or clothing the poor.

I imagine a reporter approaching Jesus in some ghetto somewhere, asking, "Jesus, do you think about Justice Roy Moore and the Christians gathering in Montgomery, Alabama to protest the removal of the Ten Commandments?"

Jesus furrows his brow just a bit, scratches his 3-day old scruff of a beard and says, "I'm sorry, but I haven't heard anything about it." ▼

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Court Ruled On Church/ State Seperation

The 2 1/2 ton Ten Commandments monument is removed from the rotunda of the Alabama Judicial Building in Montgomery, Alabama in late August after a U.S. District Judge ordered the monument moved from public view in the building. Despite protests and a fight, Alabama Chief Justice Roy Moore was suspended by the Alabama Judicial Inquiry Commission for failing to comply with the order.

Alabama Lawmaker

Promotes Ten Commandments Defense Act

MGW Staff

Rep. **Robert Aderholt** (R-Ala.), along with a few House colleagues, scheduled a press briefing in early September on Capitol Hill to trumpet the "The Ten Commandments Defense Act."

Aderholt called the measure a vital piece of legislation that must be passed promptly, especially in light of Alabama Chief Justice **Roy Moore**'s inability to keep a large Ten Commandments monument on public display in the Alabama Judicial Building

According to Aderholt and his supporters, the nation's laws are based in large part on the Ten Commandments and government officials may display the Decalogue wherever they please.

Americans United, a religious liberty watchdog group that educates Americans about the importance of church-state separation in safeguarding religious freedoms; and was one of the three civil liberties groups that challenged Moore's monument in federal court, said Aderholt's bill would essentially gut the First Amendment, which provides for separation of church and state.

"Aderholt wants government to promote religion," said the Rev. **Barry W. Lynn**, executive director of Americans United. "He's on the wrong track. Religion does not need government help to remain healthy and prosper, and the First Amendment prohibits government promotion of religion."

Aderholt's bill, H.R. 2045, also includes language that orders federal court to leave decisions about display of the Ten Commandments to the states.

The bill was introduced in May, has 70 cosponsors and is pending in the House's Subcommittee on the Constitution.

"Aderholt's actions show contempt for the American constitutional principles," said AU'sLynn."The Constitution's separation of powers requires that Congress refrain from instructing the courts on how to rule on cases involving constitutional rights."▼

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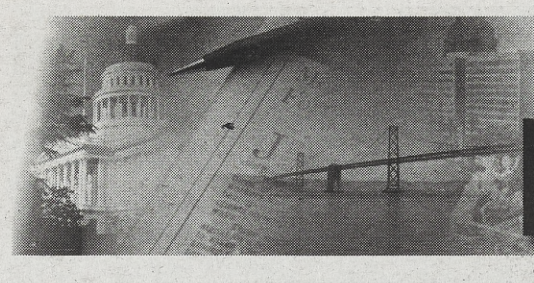

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Info: LGCMA.com

MCC Announces the Queer Book of Hours

MGW Staff

The Queer Book of Hours produced by Metropolitan Community Church of San Francisco will be divided into sections by days of the week, with prayers for Morning, Noon, Twilight, and Sleep time. Further sections will offer prayers of Healing, prayer celebrating diverse gender identities, Queer Saints, Pride Celebrations and prayers for the dead.

The Queer Book of Prayers is modeled on the Books of Hours. The Books of Hours have been recognized as the most popular books of the Middle Ages and were used by lay people in personal devotions at a time when church authorities kept most non-clerics as mere spectators in community rituals.

In the midst of the brutal realities of medieval life, they offered prayers to be said throughout the day in honor of saints and especially Mary, the mother of Jesus.

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WHERE WERE YOU AND WHAT WERE YOU DOING WHEN YOU HEARD ABOUT THE 9/11 TERRORIST ATTACKS?

Meta Brandon

Sacramento
Digital Computer Specialist

I was driving my mother to the doctor and listening to the car radio. I thought it was a "War of the Worlds"! This year 9-11 will be my wedding day with my partner Sharon. British Columbia will be the wedding site!

Maggie Rousseau

Placerville
Student

I was eating my morning cereal when my mom told me about all the live TV action at the WTC. I drove to school that day not really believing what was happening.

Chris Azevedo

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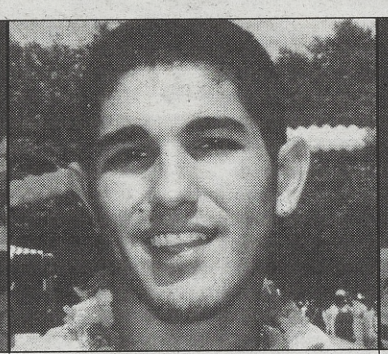
I was driving to work when I heard about the WTC on the radio. I was really shocked. I had really strong feelings about what the radio was reporting. My sympathy went out to all those live cell phone calls coming from the WTC.



Rob Head

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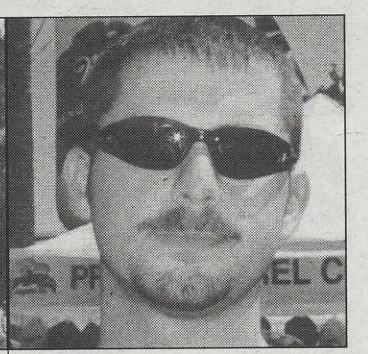
I was asleep by myself when my friend's dad woke me up screaming that a plane had hit the twin towers and to get out of bed! I was in total shock.



Chad Smith

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That day I was in bed and my ex-boyfriend woke me up. We turned on the TV and saw the second plane crash into the WTC. I left for work in shock and disbelief.

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Preparing For Winter: Garden Notes

by Robert Hamm
MGW Staff

September can still be hot and dry but it is the beginning of fall and our best planting season.

Not only can all forms of hardy perennials, shrubs, trees and vines be planted but it is also time to start planting (especially when the weather cools later in the month) fall/winter growing annuals(Poppies, Calendula, cyclamen (perennial often grown as annual), pansies, primroses (another perennial often thought of as an annual) etc and cool weather vegetables such as cabbage, beets,cauliflower, spinach etc.

Fall planting is not really pushed by most of the big retailers except maybe in September. By October they are more interested in Halloween and the upcoming holidays and tend to empty their plant areas to make room for holiday merchandise (pumpkins and Christmas trees).

This is a shame since this is horticulturally the best time to plant in California but they do not want to the education of the public needed to promote it, and since the public spends more money on holiday stuff than on plants at this time of year –they go where the money is.

Usually by early or mid October the only place you can find a good selection of plants is one of the specialty growers such as The Benefit Plant Sales or those specialty nurseries in the Foothills and Bay Area.

Many people think of fall as a dull time in the garden without much color but they are very wrong. There are many things that will give you color well into fall and even plants that bloom in the winter here.

You can come by and look at my garden, visit the Land Park Rock Garden or the perennial plantings at the old city cemetery to get some ideas of fall bloomers. They will be even showier in October when more is in bloom.

One last feeding the last half of September will replace nutrients leached out by heavy summer watering and improve the winter hardiness of your plants by making sure they are not starved going into winter dormancy/rest.

For plants that start growing in fall for our winter growing season, occasional light feedings all winter are beneficial.▼

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FAMILY Secrets

By Sally Sheklow
MGW Staff

"Tess is what they call a hottie." My friend Deb updated me on her teenage daughter when we met in the produce aisle last week. Karen, Tess's other mom, tossed a jicama into their cart and chimed in, "And she is totally-boy-crazy."

One of the first A.I. babies in our lesbian community, Tess has hit the surly, uncommunicative stage, which according to Doctor Spock typically lasts from ages 12 to 40. She is driving her poor parents nuts. Karen and Deb, whose Pope-unsanctified wedding I attended twenty years ago, naturally want what's best for their child. They are in a dither over the fifteen-year-old vamp's heterosexual tendencies.

I am one of Tess's concerned aunties, the circle of friends who attended her birth and provided child care when she was little. Now I am another old lesbian dinosaur she would sooner die than acknowledge in public. I grabbed a sack of organic russets and asked, "What kind of birth control is she using?"

"Oh, she isn't having sex yet," Karen assured me. In response to my raised eyebrow Deb added, "We would know."

Yeah, right. Like when we were fifteen we told our parents our personal business. What is it about lesbian moms?

Is the next Homosexual Agenda item going to be equal access to parental amnesia? Weren't they ever young and full of hormones? Don't they remember anything?

I kept all kinds of secrets from my parents when I was 15. We rarely talked—the original *Don't Ask Don't Tell*. Mom and Dad didn't know squat about my life. I sneaked out my bedroom window at night and returned before dawn undetected.

"High on mescaline, my boyfriend and I had sex on the fairway and then dug the word 'LOVE' into the neatly-groomed sand traps."

Not yet aware becoming a lesbian was even an option, I expressed my budding sexuality in frequent and exuberant lovemaking with my boyfriend, a soft-spoken, attentive kid with a big motorcycle. Looking back on those days, I realize he was the closest thing to a butch dyke I could lay my hands on.

The guy who sat behind me in summer school civics lived in a luxurious country club home right on the golf course. His wealthy parents were away for the weekend and their son was supposed to be staying with a buddy, which in teen-speak means, "Party!" I like to think my behavior contributed in some small way to current popular wisdom—when kids say they're going to an adult-supervised party, a teenager's word is worth bupkes.

What a party! We ransacked the liquor cabinet, abused the beds and desecrated the swimming pool. We drove their golf cart into the lake. High on mescaline, my boyfriend and I had sex on the fairway and then dug the word "LOVE" into the neatly-groomed sand traps.

By the time the host offered me a ride home I was sure I had come down enough to make my curfew appearance and slink off into my bedroom unscrutinized. Safely inside the gate, I stopped at the swimming pool steps.

I reeked of smoke and spilled tequila and sex. If my parents busted me, I'd be under heavy surveillance for the rest of the summer. I splashed my face, rinsed the sand off my arms and sluiced out my mouth. But I was hot and sticky all over.

The turquoise green water, shimmering under the night sky, beckoned me. The pool looked too good to pass up. I peeled off my clothes and plunged in.

I swam a full, languid underwater lap. A quick pop up for air and another lap, during which I noticed an odd, screeching sound. I disregarded it and resumed my mermaid glide. I heard it again, the distant, high-pitched whine.

The last time I came up for air the sound was unmistakable. My mother, in full screaming rage, towered over me, the whites of her eyes huge and menacing.

Her neck veins bulged. Her mouth contorted as she yelled my name. She shoved a beach towel at me and demanded I get out of the pool and into the house that instant.

Not until I turned toward the door did I notice my father, and a patio full of guests, sitting poolside—fully-clothed—in stunned silence.

After that I became seriously surly and uncommunicative. Exposing myself had exposed my parents' lack of control over me, a huge embarrassment in front of their friends. Their response was to crack down and make my life miserable.

I gently set a carton of crimini mushrooms into my grocery cart's empty child-seat. Mental note: *get condoms and foam for Tess—and some clit info.* She is entitled to her private pleasures, and her parents are entitled to their denial.

I hugged my friends goodbye. "You're probably right," I said, "I'm sure Tess is doing fine."

Thank God(dess) they don't have a swimming pool, or a golf cart. ▼

Writer Sally Sheklow grew up in Palm Springs, California. She lives in Oregon with her wife and no kids.

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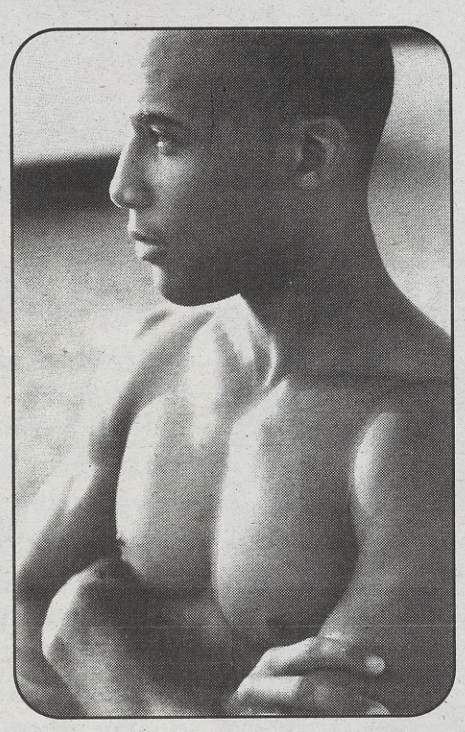
Sacramento Nudist Club Celebratees Anniversary

By Geno Azevedo
MGW Guest Commentary



Nearly one year ago, co-founders, **Billy Schellenberg** and **Robert Gamboa**, conceived the idea of a Gay Nudist Club in Sacramento.

The first MANS (Males Au Natural Sacramento) business meeting was held in September of 2002 at the Town House bar, with about a half dozen men interested in the concept. Since that time, the club has grown to 50 dues paying members and more than 175 Yahoo Groups web site members.

MANS is a social naturist club for gay men who enjoy socializing in the company of other gay nudist. In addition to the social aspect of the club, MANS contributes a portion of the annual membership dues to a charitable organization determined annually by the membership.

Charitable contributions of non-perishable food items are also encouraged for guests who wish to attend an organized event in lieu of an admission fee.

The club is a non-profit organization governed by a board of officers and the current President, Geno Azevedo, has been an active member of GNI, (Gay Naturist International) for several years and involved with other clubs and gatherings in the naturist community. MANS is considered an affiliate club of GNI which is an international organization, with over 1,600 members worldwide.

MANS host monthly house parties or social gatherings and organized events for the day or weekend getaways. In addition to the social settings, a monthly membership business meeting is held on the fourth Tuesday of the month at the Lambda Center at 7:30 p.m.

Anyone interested in finding out more about the club is encouraged to attend a business meeting and meet some of the members, however, the parties are always much more fun. ▼

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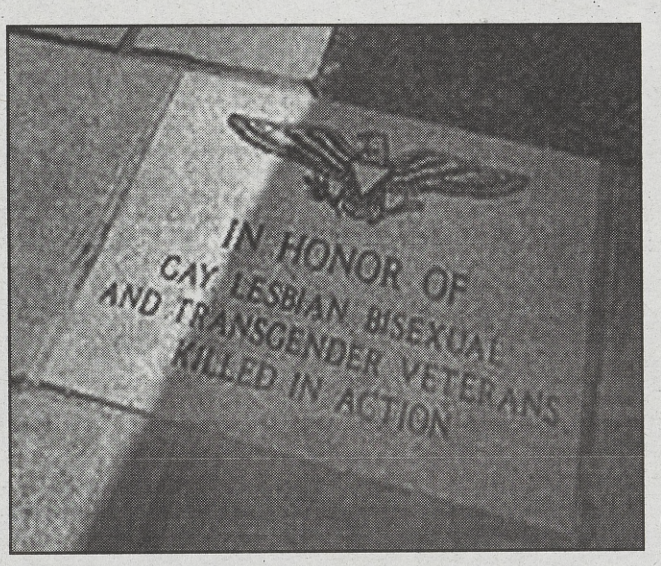
Memorial Honors GLBT Veterans



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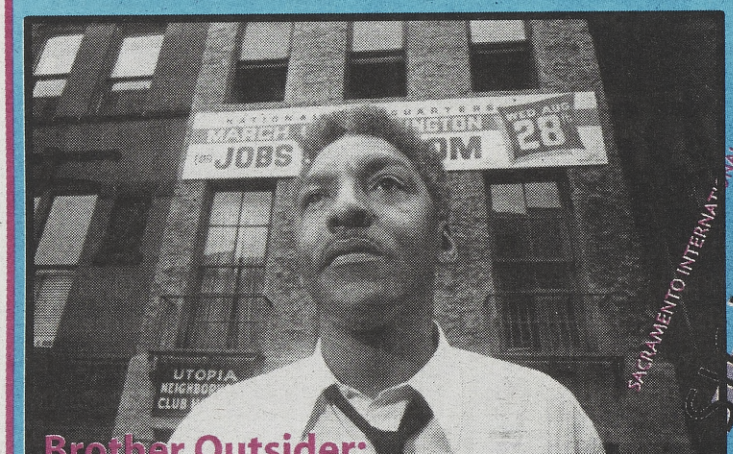

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The Life of Baynard Rustin

No Secret Anymore:
The Times of Del Martin & Phyllis Lyon

Give or Take an Inch

Queer Films Inund

by Stefan Gruenwedel, MGW/Staff

The Sacramento International Gay & Lesbian Film Festival is coming to town and you're invited to soak up gay visibility and enjoy the sort of queer expression that's only possible at a film festival where movie saturation is the norm.

▼ Running October 8–12 at the Crest Theatre (1013 K Street), the festival shows "quality cinematic stories" that promise to "entertain both straight and gay man and women." (Bisexual and transgender ones too.)

▼ Headlining the festival is a very queer show called Bob & Rose, a six-part series made for BBC Television and written by "Queer As Folk" creator Russell T. Davies. Not available yet to US audiences until next year when HBO is expected to pick it up, this fast-paced drama explores what happens when a very gay man meets a straight woman and starts to experience feelings for her that he thought he could only have for another man. Bob is too entrenched in Manchester's gay bar, queer club, man-to-man one-night-stand community to consider himself bi; but he's too smitten by Rose to ignore his impulses entirely. For her part, Rose balances this strange fling with her family's expectations and a not-quite-boyfriend she's grown weary of over the years.

▼ Episodes are spaced throughout the festival—a clever programming decision that not only entices you screenings but prevents the tiring audiences, which the were screened as a six-hour

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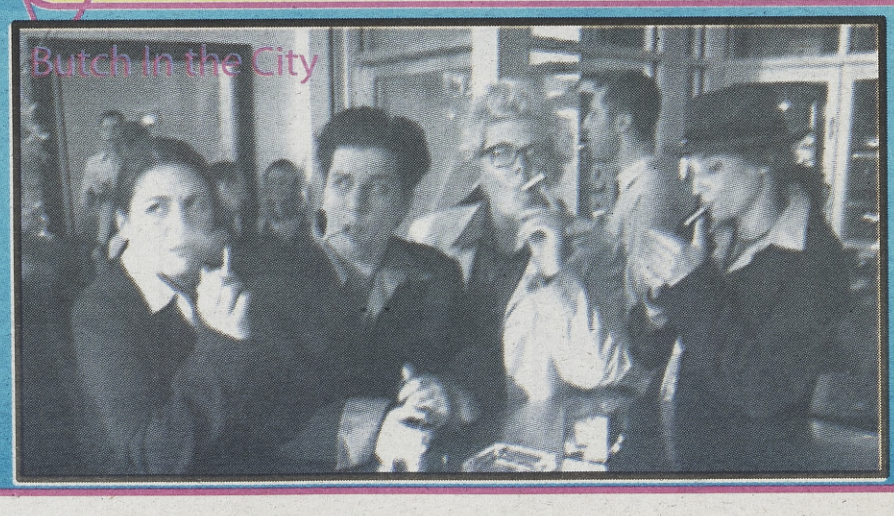
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Brother Outsider: The Life of Bayard Rustin contains archival footage and testimonials about this man who battled Jim Crow and homophobia and paid the consequences for trying to take the civil rights movement beyond the comfort level of its own leaders. This film won the Audience Award for Best Documentary at this year's San Francisco International Lesbian and Gay Film Festival.

▼ Also screening this evening is No Secret Anymore: The Times of Del Martin & Phyllis Lyon, about the now-famous lesbian couple that has fought for queer acceptance, equality, and justice for over 50 years. Founders in 1955 of Daughters of Bilitis, the country's first public organization for lesbians, Martin and Lyon advanced the rights of women and queers at a time when lesbians were arrested simply for wearing men's clothing.

▼ Friday, October 10 (7 pm): After Episode 3 of Bob & Rose, the evening continues with Gaydar, a short film about Randy who discovers a gaydar gun that helps him decide whether the guy he has a crush on is really gay or not.

▼ Probably more astounding for its sheer gustiness is Smoke Rings from Canada, which shows in two short minutes a cute young thing blowing smoke rings around a guy's erection.

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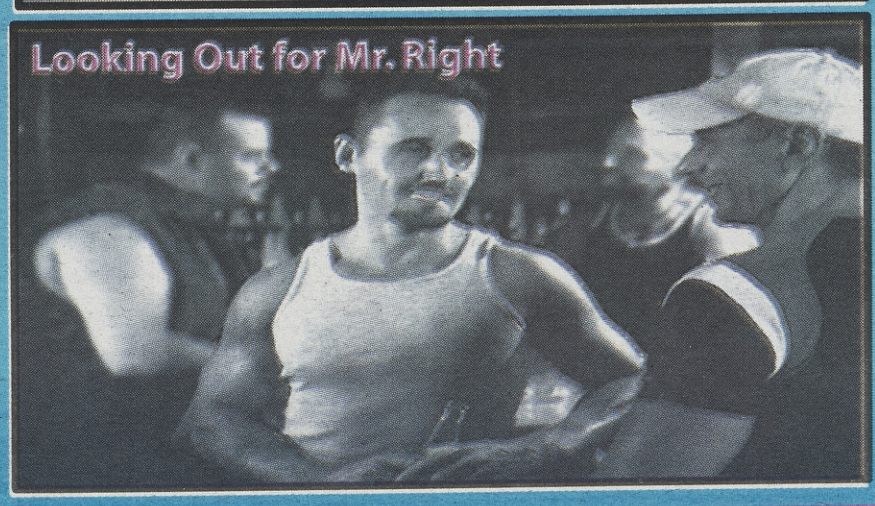

Entertainment

SF Opera Launches Rainbow Series

MGW Staff

San Francisco Opera has launched a new Rainbow Series in response to the success of the company's first "LGBT Night."

The three-opera package is designed to appeal to both newcomers and opera aficionados in the Bay Area's diverse GLBT community.

The Rainbow Series offers a special discount to performances of Verdi's Don Carlos, Rossini's Il barbiere di Siviglia, and Puccini's La boheme.

In addition subscribers of the Rainbow Series will be invited to mix and mingle at pre-performance receptions held in the Opera House. Other social and education events are also expected. ▼

Info: sfopera.com

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FILM PREVIEWS

"Bob & Rose"
Six episodes of biting humor and difficult emotional truth by the creator of "Queer as Folk."

"Yes Nurse, No Nurse"
(Ja Zuster, Nee Zuster)
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Yes Nurse, No Nurse (Ja Zuster, Nee Zuster)
Including: Bob & Rose (episode 3)
Plus: selected shorts

Saturday Oct 11 – 7pm
Prey for Rock & Roll
Plus: selected shorts

Sunday Matinee Oct 12 – 1pm
Bob & Rose (episodes 4,5 & 6)

For more information and program listings: **916.396.1657 www.siglff.org**

Queer Films:

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Ending the evening is *Yes Nurse, No Nurse,* a feature from The Netherlands that pays '30s musical homage to the '60s as only the Amsterdammers could.

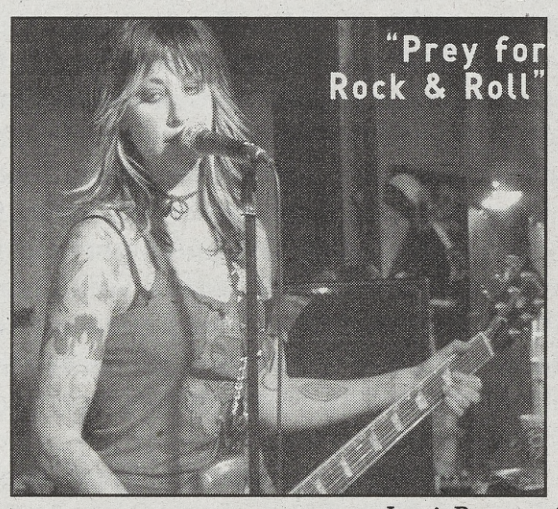
Nurse Klivia's Rest Home houses some very queer birds, which a neighbor wants to drive out of the neighborhood. When a hairdresser opens a shop across the street, everyone begins to change.

This film won the Audience Award for Best Feature Film at this year's San Francisco International Lesbian and Gay Film Festival.

▼ **Saturday, Oct. 11 (7 pm):** This dyke-focused evening begins with a few short films, including *Ten Rules (A Lesbian Survival Guide),* about what happens when one's friends comprise one's dating pool; *Butch in the City,* a decidedly queer parody of a certain famous HBO series; *Master Libation,* an animated short from Canada featuring a naked lady determined to get off; and *D.E.B.S.*, a "soon-to-be major motion picture" about four high school girls who become secret agents.

"Target Audience"

The evening's feature is *Prey for Rock & Roll,* the directorial debut of **Alex Steyermark** (music producer of "Hedwig and the Angry Inch") which captures the not-quite-glamorous lifestyle of Jacki (**Gina Gershon,** who performs her own vocals), a sexy, aging punk rocker in an all-chick band who makes a go of it one last time.



"Prey for Rock & Roll"

The film also stars **Lori Petty** of *Tank Girl,* **Drea de Matteo** of HBO's "The Sopranos," and Shelly Cole of "Gilmore Girls."

. This film won an award for Best Narrative Feature at the Santa Cruz Film Festival.

▼ **Sunday, Oct. 12 (1 pm matinee):** The Sacramento International Gay & Lesbian Film Festival concludes with the final three episodes of *Bob & Rose.*

This night is a must-see for anyone who's watched even just one of the previous episodes during the festival. With Bob and Rose officially out of the closet about their relationship, the real world comes crashing in on them, even as they try to maintain some sense of normalcy.

Tickets to the festival cost $8.50 for each show or $35 for an all-festival pass, available at the door or at The Open Book. ▼

Festival info: *www.siglff.org.*

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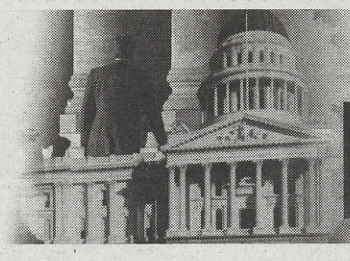

Under The Domes

New Campaign Demands Equal Rights For All Families

MGW Staff

Free Families announces the launch of a new campaign to demand equal rights for all America's families regardless of gender, sex, nationality, race and size. "Everyone has the right to form families," said Free Families co-founder **Frank Susa**. "But by linking family recognition to marriage, our laws actually discriminate against many American families."

Free Families' founders **Jason Fleetwood-Boldt**, **Jesse Sanford** and Susa, are longtime gay rights advocates concerned with promoting progressive family values based on fairness, inclusivity and care.

A petition on the Free Families website calls for broad civil rights legislation that goes beyond gay marriage to extend benefits and recognition to every group of consenting adults in a committed family relationship.

"What makes a family are the love and care its members share, not biology or marriage," Sanford explained. "Our community-oriented website will help build a vision of progressive family values and create a more inclusive consensus on the gay marriage debate." ▼

Info: freefamilies.org

Dean Hires GLBT Outreach Director

MGW Staff

Dean for America hired **Wendy Howell** to serve as the New Hampshire Director of GLBT Outreach. Howell will be responsible for organizing the state's community support for Governor **Howard Dean**'s presidential bid.

Howell spent more than five years doing political and organizing work, much of which was within the GLBT community.

"I am thrilled to be here," Howell said, "It's incredibly exciting to have the opportunity to work for the man who signed the Civil Unions Act.

Howard Dean is the only presidential candidate who has made full equality for GLBT people the law, and I think of no candidate who better deserves the community's support." ▼

Info: deanforAmerica.com

Sappho Leads Lesbian Business Sucess Teleseminar

Be A Success Enter-pris es, a personal, business and career-coaching organization based in Baltimore, MD, has announced the release of a nine session, three-month teleseminar, entitled "Coach Sappho's BE A Success Telegroup for Lesbian Women". **Barb Elgin**, President of BE A Success Enterprises, will lead the teleseminar, which will begin September 18.

According to Elgin, who is also known as 'Coach Sappho', this telegroup will provide lesbian women with a "powerfully supportive environment inspiring participants to look anew at who they really are, design goals more authentically reflecting their deepest desires and receive coaching to help them achieve their goals."▼

Info: barbelgin.com/html/besucessgp.html

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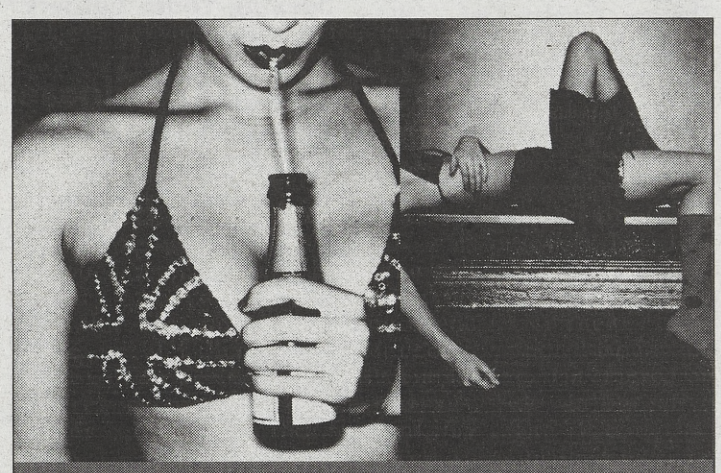

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Gay Straight Alliance Network Reaches Five Years Old

Gay-Straight Alliance Network, one of the nation's largest networks of GSAs is turning 5 years old this month. Growing from a regional non-profit serving about 40 GSAs in the Bay Area in 1998, it is now a statewide organization serving about 350 GSAs today.

"An entire generation of students has gone through high school since GSA Network started," said GSA Network Founder and Executive Director, **Carolyn Laub**. "We are in the midst of a shift in our culture when it comes to sexual orientation and gender identity."

GSA Network helped pass historic legislation (AB 537) that prohibits discrimination and harassment on the basis of sexual orientation and gender identity.

"We've won a great settlement in the first case testing that law," Laub continued, about a groundbreaking lawsuit in Visalia.

"We've empowered thousands of students to organize for policy change and climate change in their schools. And our arts activism photo to exhibit, posters, and videos have won awards and reached an audience of tens of thousands."▼

GSA Network is Seeking Youth Leaders

GSA Network Youth Council is a diverse group of youth leaders who care about fighting homophobia and transphobia in schools. There are 3 Youth Councils: Northern, Central, and Southern California.

Each Youth Council is responsible for making decisions about and guiding the programs of the GSA Network in their region. Members will represent the needs of GSAs and youth ativists from their geographic region as well as set goals and establish priorities for the entire GSA Network.

The Youth Council meets once a month, generally on a Saturday. Typically, members are also involved in planning and/or implementing other trainings and conferences, most of which happen on weekend days. As well, there are spaces on the Northern CA Youth Council .▼

info:gsanetwork.org

Victory for California School District's Diversity Education

The lawsuit, tried to claim that parents had a right to prevent their children from watching the play, which advocates for teaching tolerance for gay people, because it constituted "sex education."

Citizens for Parental Rights v. Novato Unified School District, attacked the Novato school district for presenting a play entitled Cootie Shots: Theatrical Inoculations Against Bigotry in two elementary schools.

Citizens for Parental Rights also claimed that showing the play to their children violated their religious freedoms.

Following intervention by the American Civil Liberties Union, parents and students who sued the Novato School District over a diversity education program because of its message of tolerance for lesbian and gay people agreed to dismiss the lawsuit today, ending nearly two years of litigation.

"This outcome is a great victory for parents and students in Novato and for anyone concerned about fostering tolerance in their community," said **Julia Harumi Mass**, a staff attorney with the ACLU of Northern California.

"The plaintiffs' decision to walk away at this stage of the case shows that their claims were baseless. It shows that schools have the authority to require attendance at tolerance-building and diversity education programs that include teaching tolerance for lesbian and gay students." ▼

"Remember Me" Project Seeking Youth

MGW Staff

A youth initiated project in cooperation with Sacramento's anti-drug coalition Project Help and the Youth Services Provider Network, Remember Me grew out if a Youth in Governance Conference. It will be a series of dinner-dialogues among youth and adult community leaders to discuss topics such as youth engagement, youth employment, and alcohol and drugs.

Ultimately, the goal is to create youth/adult partnerships and generate collaborative solutions and strategies that strengthen the community. ▼

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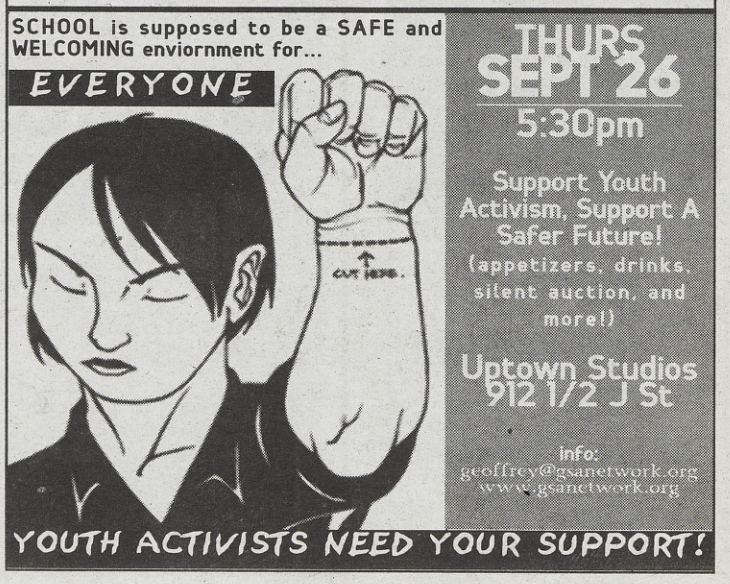

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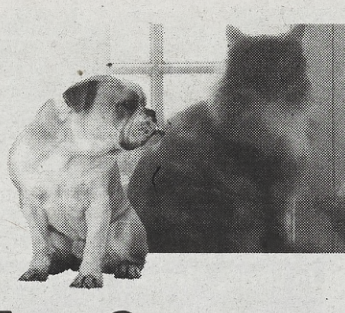

Out with Pets

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Ten Commandments of Reptile Purchasing (The Do's & Don'ts)

By Randy Jamison
MGW Staff

1. Don't buy impulsively!
Reptiles living creatures that need to live a normal life, even in captivity. Learn about the requirements of the species you may be considering so you can care for them properly.

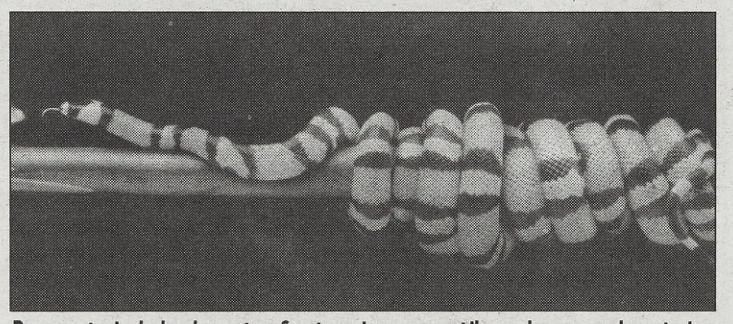
2. Don't buy "the poor little sick one."
It is probably too far-gone to save, even with the expense of professional veterinary care. Select an active, healthy reptile.

3. Don't buy from a store with overcrowded and filthy tanks.
You are probably buying problems along with the reptile. Proper care does not start after you buy it... it starts long before (or, at least it should.)

4. Don't buy from a store that keeps or cares for their stock improperly.
If you are considering an iguana (a vegetarian lizard) and they tell you to feed it crickets, *STOP* ...as in #3 above, don't buy a problem waiting to happen.

5. Don't buy solely because of that super low price.
There are many considerations to be taken into account, one of which is the price. But a super price on a sick reptile won't be "super" very long.

6. Do attempt to purchase captive-bred reptiles.
If the store has its own breeding program, all the better... Many of the reptiles available today are captive bred although wild-caught are still available. In purchasing captive-bred stock, you will get a healthier, better-adapted animal (without parasites) and you will not contribute to the over-collection of wild reptiles that can lead to endangered species or non-sustainable populations.



Be sure to include elements of nature in your reptile enclosure such as twigs, branches, and rocks. A place to hide is essential for a happy pet.

7. Do have the enclosure prepared before you bring home the reptile.
Stress causes many problems. Eliminate the stress and you eliminate problems. You can freely redesign the enclosure and check the heating, lighting, shelters, etc. before the reptile is ever introduced.

8. Do make sure you have supplied all the necessary accessories..
For example: snakes normally prefer a hide box (to get away from it all) and a water bowl that can't easily be tipped over. The water bowl should be large enough to accommodate the snake if it wants to have a soak. Each reptile has specific needs — supply them and you will have a healthy and happy reptile.

9. Do locate a reputable (exotic) veterinarian and have your reptile checked periodically.
In performing the examination and learning how you keep the reptile, your vet can often detect problems before they get serious. We take our dogs, cats, and birds to the vet (and ourselves to the doctor) and reptiles deserve the same consideration.

10. Do learn as much about your reptile as possible.
Read, ask questions, and use the Internet to locate information. Join your local herp society. You will never learn everything there is to know, but book knowledge in conjunction with practical experience will give your reptile the best chance for a long healthy life. ▼

It's Reigning... Cats and Dogs!

MGW Staff

Sacramento SPCA marks its 17th anniversary with Reigning Cats & Dogs, scheduled for October 11th at the Sacramento Convention Center.

Over 1,200 animal lovers are expected to attend this black-tie optional event, featuring more than thirty award winning wineries, microbreweries and gourmet restaurants.

The event includes a silent auction, with an exclusive wine and art auction, live music, and performances by the Ballroom of Sacramento and more from 6:30-9:30.

All proceeds benefit Sacramento SPCA, which has been dedicated to ensuring the human treatment of animals, providing a safe and nurturing environment for unwanted, abandoned and mistreated animals until they can be placed in permanent homes since 1894.

Sacramento SPCA is a non-profit that receives no government funding and stays open through membership, donations and special events like Reigning Cats and Dogs. ▼

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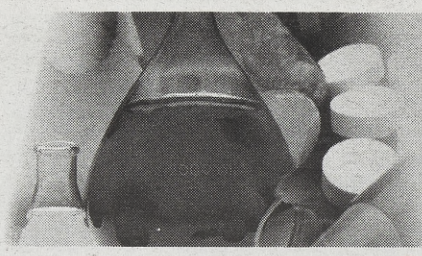

HIV Newsline
On The HIV Front

By Sonya Cox
AIDS/HIV Editor

Pot Notes...

Alaska law banning pot is ruled unconstitutional...

Alaska's court of appeals last month re-affirmed a 1975 Alaska Supreme Court decision setting at four ounces the amount of marijuana residents can possess in their home.

The decision overruled a more-recent 1990 law that criminalized the possession of any amount of the drug in any location. The ruling is a victory for the state constitution's strong privacy laws, and a blow to legislative attempts to ban marijuana.

The 1990 ban had gone unchallenged until a citizen appealed his 2001 conviction on a charge of misconduct involving a controlled substance.▼

Re-call debate...

The big winner in the recent political debate is — marijuana.

All five candidates present (**Camejo**, **Huffington**, **Ueberroth**, **McClintock** and **Bustamonte**) declared their support for making it available for medicinal purposes. It was the only thing on which they all agreed. Over-the-counter clean-needles bill now on Governor's desk...

Both the CA Assembly and Senate have passed legislation designed to reduce the number of AIDS cases by allowing adults to buy up to 30 hypodermic needles at a time without a prescription.

The bill, sponsored by **John Vasconcellos** (D-Santa Clara), is intended to reduce the sharing of needles by drug addicts to slow the spread of HIV and other blood-borne diseases.

Gov. **Gray Davis** vetoed an earlier version of the bill last year, but supporters said they hope amendments in this year's version will satisfy his concerns.

"For physicians, this is a must-do," says the California Medical Association. "For the governor this should be a must-do." ▼

Major condom makers still put profit first

Thus far, efforts have failed to get all condom manufacturers to stop using nonoxynol-9 spermicide, which can increase the risk of HIV and urinary tract infection.

Several California legislators, AIDS activists and women's groups, therefore, have set out to shame them into it.

At a recent news conference in Sacramento, Assemblyman **Paul Koretz** and Assembly Speaker **Herb Wesson** expressed frustration after the presidents of major condom producers refused to meet with them to discuss the issue.

"Since January, I've tried to negotiate quietly with representatives... to encourage them to phase out nonoxynol-9," said Koretz. Wesson, who says he's lost three family members to AIDS, called on the companies to put ethics over profit.

Among manufacturers cited were the makers of Trojans and Lifestyles condoms. Other condom producers such as Johnson & Johnson and Mayer have stopped using nonoxynol-9.

A Trojans rep stated the company's position that consumers could become confused by the calls for market removal, resulting in reduced condom use. Rather, he said, condom makers are "working with the Food & Drug Administration on revised labeling" for condoms with nonoxynol-9 "to ensure they are used appropriately." Approximately 35 percent of condoms sold in the U.S. contain nonoxynol-9. ▼

Watch out for another downside to vitamins...

A small study with 8 men and 2 women with HIV-related lipodystrophy (fat displacement) revealed that antioxidants appear to improve cholesterol levels and midriff weight gain, but may have a negative impact on blood sugar levels. The ten study participants took fairly high doses of vitamin A, vitamin C, and N-acetylcysteine twice a day for 6 months. At the end of the study, body measurements showed no significant change in circumferences or skin fold thickness. Triglycerides and total and HDL ("good") cholesterol levels did not change markedly, according to the report, and there was a trend toward lower LDL ("bad") levels.

However, the volunteers' metabolisms showed worsening insulin resistance, and fasting glucose levels increased significantly during the study. Study researchers described this as "very concerning," and it "reminds us that we should always investigate vitamins/herbal supplements prior to their use in HIV-infected subjects."

Note: Never change or add any supplement on a regular basis (vitamins, aspirin, health drinks, etc.) without the knowledge of your HIV physician. If he or she gives the go-ahead, request that these supplements be referenced in your med chart folder. ▼

Canadians surprise pollsters with lack of HIV knowledge...

Twentyfive percent of Canadians surveyed believe they can contract HIV and AIDS through mosquito bites and kissing, and nearly 20 percent believe AIDS can be cured if treated early, according to a new national survey commissioned by Health Canada.

The poll involved over 2,000 telephone interviews with Canadians over age 15 in March of this year, and is believed to have only a 2 percent margin of error.

On how HIV is transmitted, most people (84 percent) identified unsafe sex, almost half cited sharing drug needles, and more than one-third named blood transfusions.

However, 25 percent believed transmission could occur by mosquito bites, 11 percent by sneezing and coughing, 8 percent by touching objects, and 3 percent thought "casual contact" is enough for transmission.

The report says there is a "knowledge gap" in society about the government's approach to AIDS.

The most current estimates (1999) indicate that nearly 50,000 Canadians are living with HIV or AIDS, representing an increase of 24 percent since 1996.▼

Herpes treatment receives second approval as preventative...

The widely used genital herpes drug Valtrex (vala-cyclovir) can now be advertised as helping to prevent the spread of herpes simplex virus type 2, the Food and Drug Administration ruled recently.

Until now, the only advice for not transmitting genital herpes has been to use condoms and avoid sexual contact during the infection's periodic flare-ups, when lesions appear.

But condoms do not always cover all lesions, and additionally, the virus sometimes can be transmitted when there are no visible lesions. Valtrex treats herpes flare-ups by suppressing the virus.

A recent study tracked whether that suppression would be enough to also protect an infected person's sexual partner.

Researchers enrolled almost 1,500 couples in which one partner had herpes and the other partner did not, and gave the infected partners either a once-daily Valtrex or a placebo.

Valtrex use cut in half the healthy partner's risk of becoming infected. Based on that study, the FDA ruled that manufacturer GlaxoSmithKline now can advertise Valtrex as reducing the risk of spreading herpes when combined with condom use and abstinence during outbreaks. ▼

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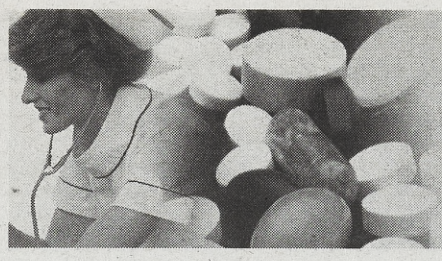

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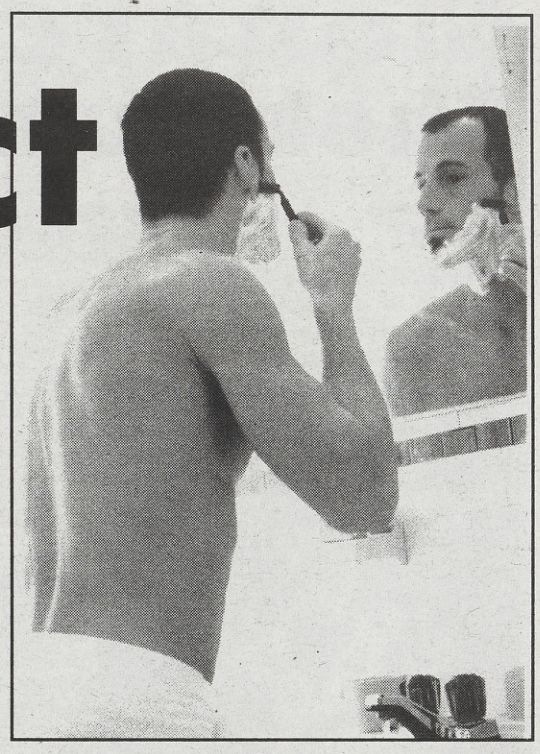

By Deborah Franks
MGW Staff

In my last column, September 1 MGW issue, I discussed pH and how it can play an important role in the products we choose for our skin. Your assignment was to try to determine your own skin type based on the information I gave you.

Remember your individual skin type when you set out to purchase any brand of skin care products. The reason for this is simple; the good product lines do not expect someone with dry skin to use the same ingredients as a person with acne or sensitive skin.

me say first, that price does not always equal quality.

Secondly, know that products are meant to be used synergistically. Using a cleanser from one line with a moisturizer from another will not have the same result.

So, lets assume we are going to pick a skin care product line that is designed for our specific skin type and falls into our price range. How do we

mind that any product containing an acid, such as hydroxy or salicilic will register as an acid, because they ARE acids! That is ok; just know that if you have dry skin, you would not want to be using these products on a daily basis.

A person with oily or acneic skin could benefit from a more acid pH product, however as it would help to dry up the oil from their skin. I have shown some popular skin products and where they register on the pH scale. Try to focus on first purchasing a daily cleanser, moisturizer and toner. These are the three "must haves" to start out with.

We can expand our horizons later. For now, know that after using a product line for 2-3 weeks on a regular basis, you will get a good idea of whether or not that product will improve your skin. Some product lines have small versions of their products that are ideal for trying them for the first time.

Expect to spend anywhere from $20-$100 for the initial purchase. The range is broad because it depends on what product line you choose, what size etc.

Go shop till you drop! Next time, we'll discuss the correct way to use products and some real dos and don'ts!▼

pH scale

ACID — ALKALINE

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14

skin

Neutral
Distilled Water

GOOD	
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Estee Lauder Re-Nutriv Cleanser	4
Estee Lauder Re-Nutriv Lifting Crème	4
Demalogica Special Cleaning Gel	4.5
Chanel Ultra Night Cream	5
Crème de la Mer	5
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BAD	
Oil of Olay Cleansing Cloths	8
Barbasol Shave Cream	8
Prada Purifying Gel/Face	9

UGLY	
Edge Shave Gel	10
Janni Organic Cleansing Bar	10

It makes sense in the same way that we cannot all be expected to use the same hair care products. So, knowing our skin type gives us some power in making the right choices. But there are so many products on the market today!

The task of picking one skin care line over another can be overwhelming! Let

know which line to choose? Well, this is where we can rely on the pH scale. Remember that our skin likes to be somewhat acidic (4.5-5.5 on the pH scale).

When deciding on a product, choose one that is as balanced as possible. Ask the salesperson about the pH. If they don't know, move on to another product. Keep in

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Monarchs Soar, Then Stumble In Play-Offs

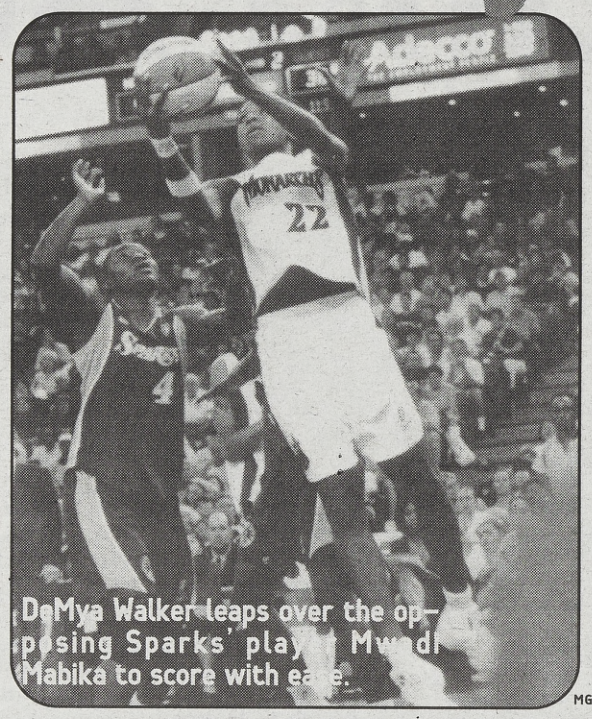
By Pat Hewitt
MGW Staff

True, it was only a 77-69 win in the first of the play-off series against the Los Angeles Sparks, but it was a game to remember. Here, at last, was a Monarchs team as good as we knew they could be.

Tangela Smith's speed and agility on the court allowed her to score major points against the Sparks, keeping the game close.

The first half of the game was, by any standards, dazzling - rivaling any half produced by any WNBA team this or any other season, the Monarchs racking up a 43-34 lead at the break.

Returning to the floor, the Sparks regrouped, but could manage only to shorten the Monarchs' lead to a still respectable 77-69 at the final buzzer.


DeMya Walker leaps over the opposing Sparks' player Mwadi Mabika to score with ease.

MGW Photos/ Nikki Judge

At game end, fans stood in tribute, clearly savoring the level of basketball they had seen, and reluctant to leave the arena and the electricity of the extraordinary match up.

Game #2, at Staples Center, a loss to the Sparks, 79-54, is best forgotten. Nothing worked for the Monarchs, who were 1 for 10 in the opening minutes, and who were mugged by the street-wise LA gang for the full 40 minutes.

Ruthie Bolton prepares to take down the Sparks' defense.

Game #3, again at Staples, saw a tough and determined Sacramento team take the floor, displaying a gameness and hustle that were still not enough to subdue the Sparks, particularly after the early benching of **Ticha Penicheiro**, attempting to play with painfully bruised and heavily taped ribs from an encounter with a **Lisa Leslie** knee in the previous game.

But no one could fault the Monarch's determination, gameness, and even patience, as they tried a variety of rotations to penetrate the Sparks' nearly impenetrable zone defense under the basket.

The game went from a 50-36 Sparks lead early in the second half, to a 52-52 tie, with 8.37 left to play, after a heady Monarchs 16-2 run. But, after an excruciating 3-point attempt in the final seconds that would have tied the game, the Monarchs again were forced to concede to LA, 66-63. ▼

Latasha Byears Permanatly Benched

Former Monarchs Guard **Latasha Byears**, traded earlier to the LA Sparks, has been expelled by the WNBA for an alleged sexual assault on an undisclosed Sparks teammate.

Ticha Penicheiro, Edna Cambell and Tangela Smith regroup on the court as they take on LA.

Competing In A Shootout With Different Strokes

MGW Staff

Dallas' Different Strokes Golf Association (DSGA), Dalla's gay and lesbian golf association founded in 1997, announced the 1st Annual Texas Shootout, a 2 day golf tournament designed to challenge the members of DSGA and all fellow gay and lesbian golfers from across the US and around the globe.

DSGA's purpose is to create an event for gay and lesbian golfers to share their love for the game, compete in a highly organized stroke play tournament following the USGA Rules of Golf, and to provide a venue for socializing. "DSGA has grown in such a way that we wanted to host other gay and lesbian golfers from around the world to come share in some golf and fun, " stated **Mike Baxley**, DSGA President. "Several members last year competed in the Gay Games and in a Memorial Day Golf event in Palm Springs and came away with a renewed spirit and many new gay golfing friends. We all just felt it was time to start an annual fall event here in Dallas."

This 2-day stroke event will award trophies in a variety of categories. An established USGA handicap or the last five scorecards are required to compete. All skill levels of golfers are welcome.

DSGA was formed as an outlet for all golfers, especially gay and lesbian, to play together and be able to enjoy the fun of the game. ▼

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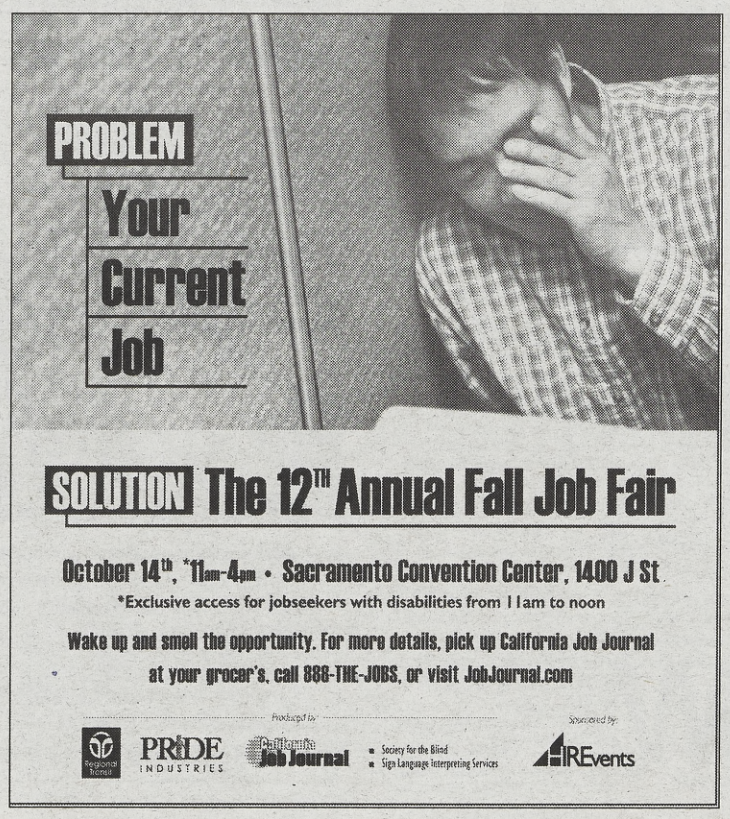
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24TH STREET THEATRE; "La Cage Aux Folles" Thru Sept 28, Fri & Sat 8pm, Sun 2pm, 207-1226
BROADWAY PLAYHOUSE; 4010 El Camino Ave, Sac; 452-5995
CALIFORNIA MUSICAL THEATER; 1419 H St., 557-1999.
FOOTHILL THEATRE COMPANY; 530-265-8587
GARBEAU'S DINNER THEATRE; "Murder at Howard Johnson's"; Thru-Oct 5, Thurs-Sat 6pm, Sun 1pm; 12401 Folsom Blvd, Sac; 985-6361
LUTHER BURBANK THEATER; Best of Broadway's "Big City Lights", thru Sept 27, Fri-Sun; 3500 Florin Road; 974-6280
MONDAVI CENTER; Mark Morris Dance Group, Sept 16, 8pm, Jackson Hall; Russell Malone and Benny Green "Live at the Bistro" Sept 16-18, 8pm, Sept 19&20, 9:30pm; "Scrap Arts Music" Sept 28, 2pm; "Shaolin Warriors" Oct 2, 8pm, Jackson Hall; "Hip-Hop Theater" Oct. 1-5, Wed-Sat 8pm, Sat & Sun 2pm, "Facing Mekka" Oct. 10&11, 8pm, Jackson Hall; "Ladysmith Black Mambazo" Oct 14, 8pm, Jackson Hall; 866-754-ARTS, mondaviarts.org
MUSIC CIRCUS; 1419 H St, 557-1999
NEW CONSERVATORY THEATRE CENTER; "Kilt," Thru - Oct 12; Wed-Sat 8PM, Sun 2pm; 25 Van ness Ave, SF; (415) 861-8972 nctcsf.org
SAC COMMUNITY CENTER; "42nd Street" Oct 1-12; "Flower Drum Song" Nov 5-16; Rob Becker's "Defending the Caveman" Dec 27-Jan 4'04; "Dreamgirls" January 28-February 8'04; "Giselle, February 19-22'04; "Thoroughly Modern Millie" May 5-16'04; "The Producers" June 9-July 4'04; sacbroadwayseries.com
SAC OPERA; Verdi's "La Triviata" Sept 19 8pm, Sept 21 2pm, Sept 23 7:30pm; 13th & L St; 737-1000
SAC THEATER COMPANY; "Arcadia" Oct.11-Nov. 2, Tues & Weds 6:30pm, Thur 12:30 & 8pm, Fri & Sat 8pm, Sun 2pm; "Santaland Diaries" Nov 15-Jan 18'04; "Little Prince" Dec 6-18; "Two For the Seesaw" Jan 24-Feb 15'04; "Arranged Marriage" Feb 21-April 25'04; "Convenience" March 13-April 4'04; sactheatrr.org
THEATRE RHINOCEROS; "Sleeping with Straight Men" Thru October 4; "Worse then Chocolate" Oct 16- Nov 8; "Christmas with the Crawfords" Nov 20- Jan 3'04; "A Love Story" May 8-June 7'04; 2926 16th St., SF. therhino.org
THE WOODLAND OPERA HOUSE; The Rainmaker, Thru-September 28, Annie, November 14-December 14, Private Lives, January 23-February 22'04, Ragtime, April 2-May 2'04, Stress Test, June 12'04, The Lion in Winter, May 21-June 20'04, Footloose, July 18 - August 3'04; 340 Second St., Woodland. wohtheatre.org.
WELLS FARGO PAVILLION; 557-1999
WM J GEERY THEATRE; The Lambda Players "Trolling", Sept 19-Oct 18, Thurs-Sat 8pm, Sun 2pm; 484-4742

SEPTEMBER

15 MONDAY

LESBIAN CANCER SUPPORT GROUP; 6:30-8pm, Uptown Studios, 912 1/2 J St., 920-7870, roxanne1040@aol.com

16 TUESDAY

RAINBOW CHAMBER MEETING; Rainbow Chamber of Commerce, 6:30 pm, 1819 J St, president@rainbowchamber.com

17 WEDNESDAY

ART AUCTION; KVIE Public TV Fundraiser, 5:30-9pm, 2595 Capital Oaks Dr; kvie.org

18 THRUSDAY

WOMEN CONNECTING; LBT Women's Group, 7-8:30pm, 2400 Glendale Ln, Wyndance Cntr, Sac; 973-2838
SURVIVOR PEARL ISLAND, Dykes Out Together; 971-9337
TRUE COLORS WOMEN'S CHORUS; Recruiting Singers, Rehearsals, 7-9pm; truecolorcho-rus@aol.com
SAC ZOO CITIZENSHIP CEREMONY, Citizenship Celebration, 9:30-10:30am, Sac Zoo; 264-7446
LEZ BE FRIENDS; Lesbian Discussion Group, 7:30-9pm, Lambda Center, krnr58@msn.com

19 FRIDAY

WOMENS SOCCOR; 5pm, SCUS vs. Princeton; 278-4590
WINE TASTING; Penfolds & Rosemont, Davis Food Co-Op, 6-8pm, 620 G St., 530-758-2667
CHICO: GLBT MOVE; "Hooked", 6:30pm, Pageant Theater, 351 E 6th St, Chico; (530) 533-7921
DINING OUT W/ GLS; 6pm, Gay and Lesbian Sierrans; 443-6114 (9am-9pm)
SVL ANNIVERSARY PARTY; 8-11pm, The Bolt, 2560 Boxwood St., svl_club@yahoo.com
LEZ BE FRIENDS; Lesbian Discussion Group, 7:30-9pm, Lambda Center, krnr58@msn.com

20 SATURDAY

AIDS PLANTS SALE; Benefit Plant Sales, 9am-4pm, 707 Aima Vista & 7700 Center Parkway, 224-0198
CHICO PRIDE FEST; 1-6pm, GLBT Dance, 8pm-midnight, 1705 Manzanita Ave; chico-pride2003@hotmail.com
LAMBDA THEATER "TROLLING"; 8pm, Open Book, DOT; 971-9337
KIDS DOG SHOW; Carmichael Recreation & Parks, 10:30am, 5750 Grant Ave, Carmichael; 485-5322 x23
QUEER PERFORMANCES OPEN STAGE; Free Open Mic, 7 pm, LLACE, 492-0558
BOOK READING; "How My Family Came To Be Daddy, Papa and Me", 7pm, Open Book, 498-1004
FREE ICE CREAM; w/ Davis Food Co-Op Directors, 1-3pm, 620 G St, Davis; (530) 758-2667

21 SUNDAY

WORLD MUSIC CONCERT; 3PM; The Melody of China; CSUS Capistrano Hall; 278-4323
AIDS PLANTS SALE; Benefit Plant Sales, 9am-4pm, 707 Aima Vista & 7700 Center Parkway, 224-0198
CHICO CELEBRATION OF DIVERSITY; GLBT Spirituality Group, 7pm, Trinity Methodist, Chico; (530) 893-3666
RUSSIAN RIVER CANOE TRIP, Gay & Lesbian Sierrans; 736-1430
WHERE THE WILD KIDS ARE; Kids Festival, 10-4pm, Sac Zoo; 264-5888

23 TUESDAY

MANS MEETING; Men Au Naturale Sacramento; mans-ca@yahoogroups.com

25 THURSDAY

WOMEN CONNECTING; LBT Women's Group, 7-8:30pm, 2400 Glendale Ln, Wyndance Cntr, Sac; 973-2838
SIGN LANGUAGE LESSONS, Carmichael Recreation & Parks, 7-9pm, Sept. 25- Oct. 23, 5750 Grant Ave, Carmichael, 485-5322
DINING OUT W/ GLS; 6:30pm, Gay and Lesbian Sierrans; 359-8076
TRUE COLORS WOMEN'S CHORUS; Recruiting Singers, Rehearsals, 7-9pm; truecolorcho-rus@aol.com
LEZ BE FRIENDS; Lesbian Discussion Group, 7:30-9pm, Lambda Center, krnr58@msn.com
BACK TO SCHOOL; Fundraiser for GSA Network and Youth Activists, 5:30pm, Uptown Studios, 912 1/2 J St; geoffrey@gsanetwork.org

26 FRIDAY

ROCKTOBERFEST; Sept 26-28, Palms Springs, CA; palm-springs.org
BOOK GROUP, 7pm, DOT; (530) 451-7191
BOOK READINGS; "Taking Over; Understanding Sexual Diversity" & "Freedom is Your Human Right, Accepting and Honoring Yourself", 7pm, Open Book, 498-1004
LEZ BE FRIENDS; Lesbian Discussion Group, 7:30-9pm, Lambda Center, krnr58@msn.com

27 SATURDAY

CAR SHOW, Unveiling the Best, Mercedes Benz of Sacto, 7-10pm, 1810 Howe Ave., 924-8000
FISH DERBY, Sac County's Therapeutic Recreation Services for People with Disabilities, 9am-1pm, Gibson Ranch; 875-6640
INDIAN GRINDING ROCK; GLS; 737-2152
PRIDE PRESERVER; LLACE Fundraiser, 4-11pm, 2500 G St.; 492-0558
FALL PLANT SALE; CA Native Plant Society, 9am-3pm, McKinley Park; 454-5937
SCOTTISH GAMES & GATHERING, Dixon, 9am-6pm, Dixon Fairgrounds; (707) 678-8814

28 SUNDAY

MT. TAMALPAIS DAY HIKE; GLS; (530) 889-8652
DOG DAYS OF SUMMER; Sac SPCA, Noon-6pm, Waterworld USA, 1600 Exposition Blvd.; 924-3747 x 109

30 TUESDAY

WOMENS VOLLEYBALL; 7PM; CSUS vs. Santa Clara; 278-4590

OCTOBER

1 WEDSNESDAY

SAC VALLEY BEARS MEETING; Club 21, 1211 21st st, 393-4748

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4 SATURDAY

WEAVE FUNDRAISER; Black & White Gala, 5:30 pm, Convention Cntr; 319-4910
CROCKER UNCORKED; Wine Auction & Gourmet Dinner, Crocker Art Museum; 264-7382
MAGIC WORKSHOP; Carmichael Park Clubhouse, 9-noon, ages 7-17; carmichaelpark.com
AIDS PLANTS SALE; Benefit Plant Sales, 9-6pm, 21st btwn X & W; 429-8315
CHILDREN'S CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT SALE, 9am-1pm, American River Community Church, Sacramento Mothers of Multiples Club; 725-TWIN
WILD AFFAIR, Fundraiser, 5-10pm, Sacramento Zoo; 264-7443
WOMEN's POTLUCK & PINOCHLE, 5pm, DOT, 359-8462
POINT REYES PICNIC; GLS; 427-7124
TAHOE KOKANEE FESTIVAL; GLS; (530) 885-85961

5 SUNDAY

SKATE DATE; Lambda Legal Fundraiser, 6-8pm, Foothill Skate, 4700 Auburn Blvd., lambdalp@aol.com

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AUTO SWAP MEET; Towe Auto Museum, 6am-1pm, 21st btwn W&X; 442-6802
SAC LEATHERMEN BREAKFAST; SVL Monthly Breakfast; svl_club@yahoo.com
BIKE LAKE TAHOE; GLS; 736-1430

6 MONDAY

HIV NUTRITION, Nutrition Specialist Margie Erwin, 6-7:30pm, CARES, 917-6285

7 TUESDAY

SPECIAL ELECTION... REMEMBE TO VOTE!

8 WEDNESDAY

SEEKING SOPHIA; Workshop, Myth and Mystery of Holy Feminine In Our Lives, 7 pm, Parkside Community Church, 421-0492
SAC. INTERNAT'L GAY AND LESBIAN FILM FESTIVAL, 7pm, Oct 8-12; siglif.org

9 THRUSDAY

DINNER & AUCTION; Fundraiser, Wellspring Women's Center, 6pm, Sterling Hotel, 1300 H St; 454-9688
TONY HAWK; Boom Boom Huck Jam, 7pm, Arco Arena; 649-8497
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11 SATURDAY

HAPPY NAT'L COMING OUT DAY!
COMING OUT DAY PROGRAMMING; Sundance channel, sundance.com
IT'S REIGNING CATS & DOGS; Sac SPCA Black & White Tie Fundraiser, Convention Cntr; sspca.org
ANGEL ISLAND DAY HIKE; GLS; 421-6209
YOUTH LEADERSHIP TRAINING; GSA & GLBT Youth Leadership Training, 9-4pm, Sac GLSEN; sacglsen@yahoo.com

12 SUNDAY

AIDS PLANTS SALE; Last monthly Benefit Plant Sale, 9-3pm, 18th & J st; 429-8315
AMERICAN CONSERVATORY THEATRE; Deborah Barlow; Paintings, thru JUNE 8; Elizabeth MEad: Sculpture& Sceneography, June 24-July 27; 30 Grant St.,SF, 415-439-2437, www.act-sf.org

OCTOBER ART GALLERIES

AIAVC; Public Art Reception; Sept 18, 5:30-9pm, 616 Alhambra Blvd, Sac; 444-3658
ATMOSPHERE HOME; Rob Zinn "On Lighting Prototypes", thru Oct 8, 2122 J St, 446-4054
BUEHLER ALUMNI CENTER; UC Davis, "Pieces of the Puzzle: Sacramento Valley Landscape", thru Sept 26; One Sheilds Ave (across from Mondavi Center); (530) 752-0286
CA. PALACE OF THE LEGION OF HONOR; "Reverie and Reality, 19th Century Photographs of India" thru Feb 15, '04; 100 34th Ave, SF; (415) 750-3620
CHROMA GALLERY; "Chroma Gallery Artists Paint Fair Oaks" thru Oct 5, Weds-Sun Noon-5pm; 10030 Fair Oaks Blvd. Fair Oaks; thechro-magallery.com
CROCKER ART MUSEUM; My Farm: Interpretations and Reflections, Sept 23 - Nov 16, Crocker Uncorked Wine Auction & Gourmet Dinner, Oct 4, 6:30-11pm; 216 O St.; 264-5423; Crocker Art Antiques Show & Sale, Oct 24-26, Scottish Rite Center, 61st H St, 264-1178
CSUS ART EXHIBITS; Sergio Saenz and Richard Haley, thru Sept 26, Noon-4:30pm, CSUS Kadema Hall; 278-6166; Mini Tapestries by D.R. Wagner; Sept 22; 5:30pm; CSUS Mariposa Hall; 278-3962
EXPLODING HEAD GALLERY; 924 12th St., 442-8424
JOHN NATSOULAS GALLERY; Gregory Kondos Travels, thru Sept 28; Joseph Mariscal "A 30 Year Survey", thru Sept 28;"Art of the Beat Era Exhibition"; Paul Mazursky, Film Event, Oct 3; Lecture, Panel, & Poetry, Oct 4; Performance Film & Poetry, Oct 5; 521 First St, Davis, (530) 756-3938
JIM FERRY'S 20th St. ART GALLERY; Denni Stanford, thru Oct 4, Tue-Sat noon-5pm; 911 20th St., 930 - 0500
PHOENIX GALLERY; "Very Special Arts of Sacramento" artwork by children at Shriners Hospital, Oct 7-10th, 10am-6pm; 2nd Saturday Reception, Oct 11, 6-10pm; 1901 Capitol Ave 447-1632
MUSEUM OF GLBT HISTORY; Saint Harvey: The Life and Afterlife of a Modern Gay Martyr, thru April 4, '04, 657 Mission St., www.glbthistory.org
SACRAMENTO FINE ARTS CENTER; Jian Wang "Bold Expressions" Sept 30-Oct 19, Tues-Sun 11-3pm; 2nd Saturday Reception Oct 11 6:30-9pm; 5330-B Gibbons Dr, Carmichael; 971-3713
TOWER FRAMING & DESIGN GALLERY; Sean Royal Paintings & Sculptures, thru Oct 4; Lewis Carroll, Oct 9-Nov 11; 2131 Northrop, Suite B, 923-6204
UP TOWN STUDIOS; Comic Book Artist Show, Sept 28, 6-10pm; 912 1/2 J St.; 446-1082

MASTER EVENTS CALENDAR

S.F. Harvey Milk and George Moscone Killed.	November 27, 1978
California Domestic Partners Law Anniversary.	November 16, 2002
Folsom Street Fair San Francisco	September 28 2003
Sacramento Sierra Stampede, 978-4040	August 2003
Strawberry Music Festival strawberrymusic.com	August 28-September 1 2003
Sacramento Rainbow Festival 2003, 448-7798	Labor Day Weekend
Chico Pride Festival, chicopride2001@hotmail.com	September 2003
Sacramento Valley Aids Walk	September 2003
Palm Springs Short Film Festival, www.palm-springs.org	September 16, 2003
Rosh Hashanah (begins at sundown)	September 26, 2003
National Coming Out Day.	October 2003
Breast Cancer Awareness Month	October 2003
Yom Kippur (begins at sundown)	October 5, 2003
Interpride, www.interpride.org	October 2-5, 2003
Out on Film-The Gay &Lesbian Film Festival, www.palm-springs.org	October 2003
Indigenous People's Day	October 13, 2003
Daylight Savings Time Ends	October 26, 2003
Halloween	October 31, 2003
Greater Palm Springs Pride, www.palm-springs.org	November 1-2, 2003
Election Day (Please Vote!)	November 4, 2003
Veteran's Day	November 11, 2003
Happy Thanksgiving	November 27, 2003
Hanukkah (begins at sundown)	December 19, 2003
First Day of Winter	December 21, 2003
Merry Christmas!	December 25, 2003
Kwanzaa begins	December 26, 2003
New Year's Eve	December 31, 2003
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